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## Open Letter of Hon. W. R. Barksdale to Judge Walton.

tutional impossibility for the Legisla-ture, of which I am a member, next they would do, and knowing that many persons present knew I was a member of

you thus told these colored people it or an implied grant which is necessary would do, I asked whether it was not and proper to carry into execution some imp soble, in view of the above con. granted power, while the State law-makstitutional limitations, that the Legisla. ing power can do all things which it is ture could do what you had told these not inhibited or restricted from doing. people it would do. Your answer was that the constitutional provision Art.
XIII protecting Sec. 18 of the bill of rights from the effect of any constitutional

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And now, Judge, as to the evidence

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constitutional amendment, which will affect section 18 of the bill of rights prior to 1885, as is any other provision of the Constitution. The Legislature cannot propose an amendment, except by hill or joint concurrent resolution, which must be read and passed by a two thirds vote of each house respectively, on each days. Such a bill of the name of the voter, in a headest cold una, "voted" was entered and the carry for the State and Federal Constitutions are copied for convenience of the reader:

Section 18 of the Bill of Rights: "No shirt." Well has it been said that none again amendment, except by alert, they having extensive local acquaintance and watching the identity of the voter, the only thing for which challenge could be made. If out of any balling the mode in which the Constitution, after providing the mode in which the Constitution, after providing the mode in which the Constitution, after providing the mode in which the Constitution are copied for convenience of the reader:

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More than this, the Governor of our State was a Confederate general, has just closed a joint discussion with a colored man named Yardly, who is running to the name of the voter, in a headest cold the State of the State and Federal Constitutions are copied for convenience of the reader:

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Democratic Legislatore would next ment I am making, assumes that the legislator will observe his oath as a man of ordinary conscience does, just as the prive them wholly of their right to vote. Knowing that it was a legal and consticourage, and cannot justify nomicide or mere fear or apprehension of his life, which a weak nerved man may entertain. Not having in some length of time seen the particular provision of the constitution. Some length of the hill than Mr. Boutwell's statements of his than Mr. Boutwell's statements of tion, I said section eighteen of the bill knowledge, because on his committee

whose only regard for the preservation of peace is produced by fear of a wrathful and swift avenging power. That Federal authority, with its mailed hand of repression on us, is the only safe governing power. Unfortunately Republican rule

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ment, on belief, that we did it.

You arraigned the Democratic Conservative party of this country, and that means, practically, all its white people, as a restive, turbulent, lawless class, whose only regard for the preservation of peace is produced by fear of a wrathful

And the state of t

DEAR Str.: At Coffeeville, in your disconstitutional amendment affecting a constitutional amendment affecting a constitution as any law cap be, and the Legislature, who voted to submit a such an amendment affect the eighteenth of the Bemoeratic Constitution of the registration book and the beautiful product of the winch may be made prior to the year one bound eight hundred and eight shall, in any manner, affect the eighteenth of the Bill of Rights.

The Brigade of Mississippi Volunteers, which may be made prior to the year one bound of the turn of the state of the bound of the amendment, who does not not not a sumple product of the Bill of Rights.

The Brigade of Mississippi victional amendment is the bea clauses in the ninth section of the first Article; and that the State, without his consent, shall not be deprived of its equal suffrage in the Senate."

Army of Tennessee. Soon afterwards the 54th North Carolina Regiment was transferred to Cook's North Carolina Brigade, of the same Division, and its place supplied by the 1st Confederate Battalion.

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New York, Oct. 12.—Pools last night

need their sid to bring their resources out. Yes, fellow-citizens, we will give them all a hearty welcome, and will pledge them as much security for life and property as they can find anywhere in the United States. And this, too, no matter what their political sentiments.

The Mayor of Nashville (a. The Mayor of Nash process proceed twenty and as monthly of the process of the result of the process of the process

country for which you fought is still as there.

dear to you as when you defended it with

Let me assure you that no matter were sent to Virginia in April, 1861, dear to you as when you defended it with your swords—now that it has become necessary to defend it with your ballots from the dangers of corrupt administration and official dishonesty. The entire tion and official dishonesty. The entire is as much respected as he would be here.

But if he was there for the nurses of Northern Virginia and extends through the first western troops in the reached Harper's Ferry and cooping the first western troops in the reached Harper's Ferry and cooping the first western troops in the first wester

[From the Pontotoc Weekly Pollo.]

cord with impartial hand the evidences afforded in the lives of our gallan: were published this morning. Porte yessoldiers, of the influence and power of justifying its refusal to entertain peace the religion of Christ-to show that many considerations submitted to it by great of them were valiant soldiers of Christ, as well as intrepid soldiers of the South, and to secure from oblivion names and incidents that should live on the pages of history forever.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.-Pools last night stood : Williams, 100; Harrison, 40. Ohio-Barnes, 100; Bell, 90. jority will reach 10,000; Legislature two-thirds Democratic.

Lendon, Oct. 12.—Rio Janiero and Santos advices of the 11th report coffee very animated and advancing in tone. Dispatches from all quarters indicate an apprehension of the failure of the six New York

A Daily News' Belgrade dispatch says the proposal of Turkey gots to St. Peters-burg and thence to Sweden. The Rus-sian reply will go to St. Petersburg and London, thence ten days must clapse before definite action can be taken. During that time military events may

change the entire situation.

The Times' correspondent at Belgrade 2nd Mississippi and 42nd Mississippi, I had the utmost freedom of access to the men of all these Regiments. It will be my aim to draw from all the resources opened by my own recollection, aided by whatever memoranda have escaped the ravages of time. Beyond this I shall be under obligations to such officers and

be under obligations to such officers and soldiers of the Brigade as will furnish me with incidents and memoranda bearing on this subject. My aim will be to repowers, especially autonomy proposed for

Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The Times' dispatch from Berlin says
Count Von Armin's sentence of 5 years mprisonment in house of correction inolves forfeiture of his title and possibly his property. Creditors of Turkey have seized 292 Krupp guns which were shipped from \*

Antworp for Turkey.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Reuter, from Ragasa, dated yesterday, says that after the capture, by the Turks, of Hill of Vizorkara, on the 9th inst., Dervish Pasha advanced in the direction of Delograde. On the 10th and 11th inst., he defeated various small detachments of Montenegrins. In one of these engagements, the Montenegrins lost 80 men. On the 11th inst., however, sev-

New Orleans, Oct. 13.--The Crescent City Rifle Club Team won Inter-State match, making 1507 of possible NEW YORK, Oct. 13,-The Comp-

troller-General has accepted the nomina-tion for Mayor, tendered by Cooper In-